What to do in Bloemfontein ?



Visit the UFS experimental farm.



Transforming a piece of wool into a livelihood

The **Department of Sustainable Food Systems and Development** at the university is doing its part in promoting quality of life in the agricultural sector. Two years ago, they not only started training small-scale farmers and community members on the wool value chain; they also helped them with the whole process, including the production and marketing of products.

Members of the community, mostly women, are making various products, Including felt pencil cases, laptop bags, hand/book bags, tray cloths, and soft toys from their self-produced wool materials. They also loom-knit beautiful hats.

You are welcome to organise a visit to the farm by calling Doretha @ 0732313985 (R30.00)

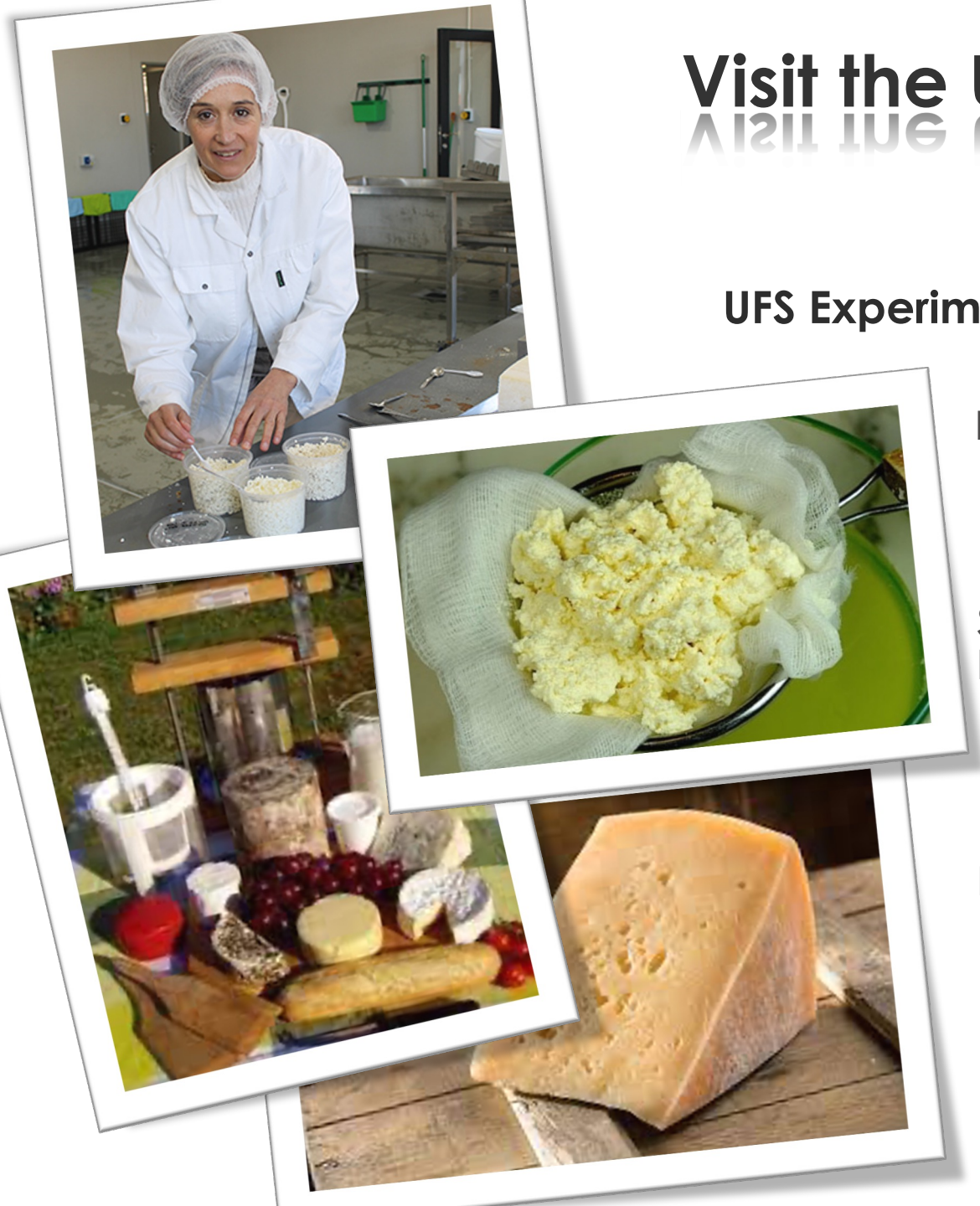








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Dr Analie Hattingh, Manager of the dairy processing unit in the Department of Animal Science, is responsible for the entire production process in the dairy processing unit, from concept development.

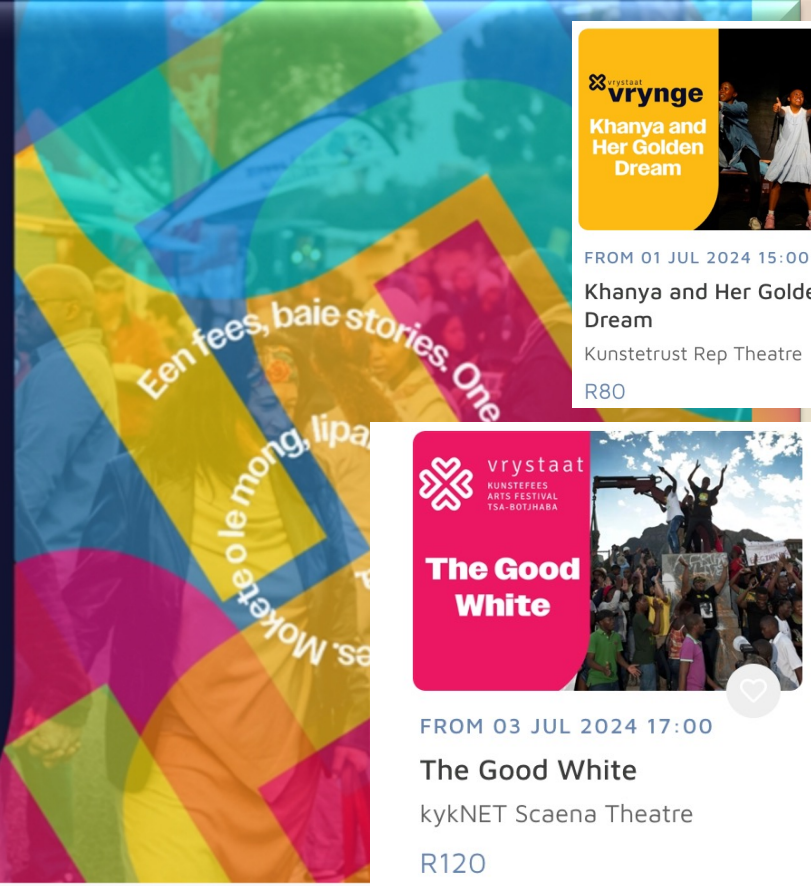
Since the installation of the unit started in May 2021, two lines of cheese have been produced – a delicious semi-hard, full-cream all-rounder and a more exotic cheese with different flavours containing ingredients such as cumin, chilli, garlic, peppercorns, and mango.
The Department of Sustainable Food Systems and Development (CENSARD) will later cultivate and harvest some of these herbs in the tunnels on the experimental farm. The department will also be involved in product development.

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FROM 01 JUL 2024 15:00

Khanya and Her Golden Dream

Kunstetrust Rep Theatre

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FROM 02 JUL 2024 16:00

The Old Man Who Thought He Had a Dog

Kunstetrust Rep Theatre

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FROM 02 JUL 2024 20:00

My Fellow South Africans

Kunstetrust Rep Theatre

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FROM 03 JUL 2024 17:00

The Good White

kykNET Scaena Theatre

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FROM 03 JUL 2024 18:00

The memories we keep are the ones stuck to the soles of our feet

Scholtz Hall

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FROM 02 JUL 2024 19:00

André Schwartz: Any Dream Will Do – My pad met Webber

Kopanong Auditorium

R170

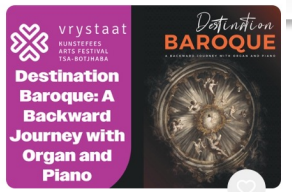


01 JUL 2024 19:30

Joseph Clark – The Music of QUEEN

Kopanong Auditorium

R230 - R 250



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Destination Baroque: A Backward Journey with Organ and Piano

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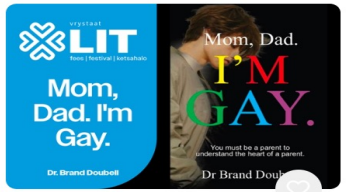


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Palestine: Sights on the Current State, Struggles, and Solutions

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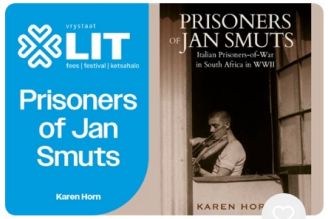


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Mom, Dad. I'm Gay.

Simonsvlei Tent

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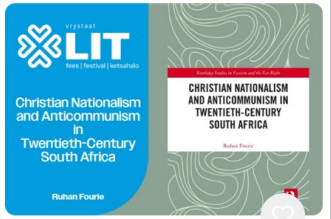


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Prisoners of Jan Smuts

ATKV-Boeke-oase (Hoofsaal)

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Christian Nationalism and Anticommunism in Twentieth-Century South Africa

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OLIEWENHUIS **ART** MUSEUM

HIKING TRAIL MAP



OLIEWENHUIS ART MUSEUM'S HIKING TRAILS

Surrounded by 12 hectares of natural vegetation on Grant's Hill, Oliewenhuis Art Museum offers access to four marked hiking trails through the unspoilt natural areas. The hiking trials are easily accessible to young and old and offer a unique opportunity to experience the wild beauty and tranquillity.

The longest trail takes approximately 30 minutes to complete while the shortest takes 20 minutes of leisurely hiking.

The Green Hiking Trail offers informative educational panels providing information on the various types of plant, animal, insect and bird life to be found in the area.

A popular attraction of the hiking trails is the 84 different bird species, identified here since 1988. Be on the lookout for African Red-eyed Bulbuls, Karoo Thrushes, Orange River White-eye, Yellow Canaries, Laughing and Cape Turtle Doves. Flocks of Wattled Starlings, White-backed and Red-faced Mousebirds can be observed feeding in fruiting wild olive trees. Malachite and White-bellied Sunbirds may be seen feeding in *Leonotis* (wildedagga) clumps in the garden during April - May, with the latter species present in all months. In summer, Diderick Cuckoos and European Bee-eaters are common in the gardens. Black-collared Barbets can occasionally be heard and seen here as well.

Most of the ground-dwelling insects found along the hiking trails belong to the Order Coleoptera, which includes all the beetles. One interesting species is the striped toktokkie (*Psammodes striatus*), which has a large body about 24 mm long and can be identified by the reddish-brown lines across its back. The mating habits of toktokkies involve individuals tapping their abdomens against the ground, with potential mates locating one another by following the sound thus created. An interesting flightless beetle found along the trails is a beaded weevil (*Protostrophus* species). The common name of the insect refers to the shimmering scales or "beads" covering the insect, which can be brown, grey, silver, bronze or green. Like most other weevils, this beetle is identifiable by its prominent, elongated snout and is therefore also known as a snout beetle. A number of dung beetle species may also be found along the hiking trail. Dung beetles indicate a healthy environment and play a vital role in recycling nutrients

TO HELP MAKE YOUR WALK AS ENJOYABLE TO OTHERS AS IT WILL BE TO YOU:

- Leave flowers and other vegetation as you find them
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- Treat other visitors with courtesy and respect their privacy
- Do not disturb or chase any wildlife
- Remain on the designated path at all times
- Please report any problems to the caretakers on duty
- **Remember the gates close at 17:00**

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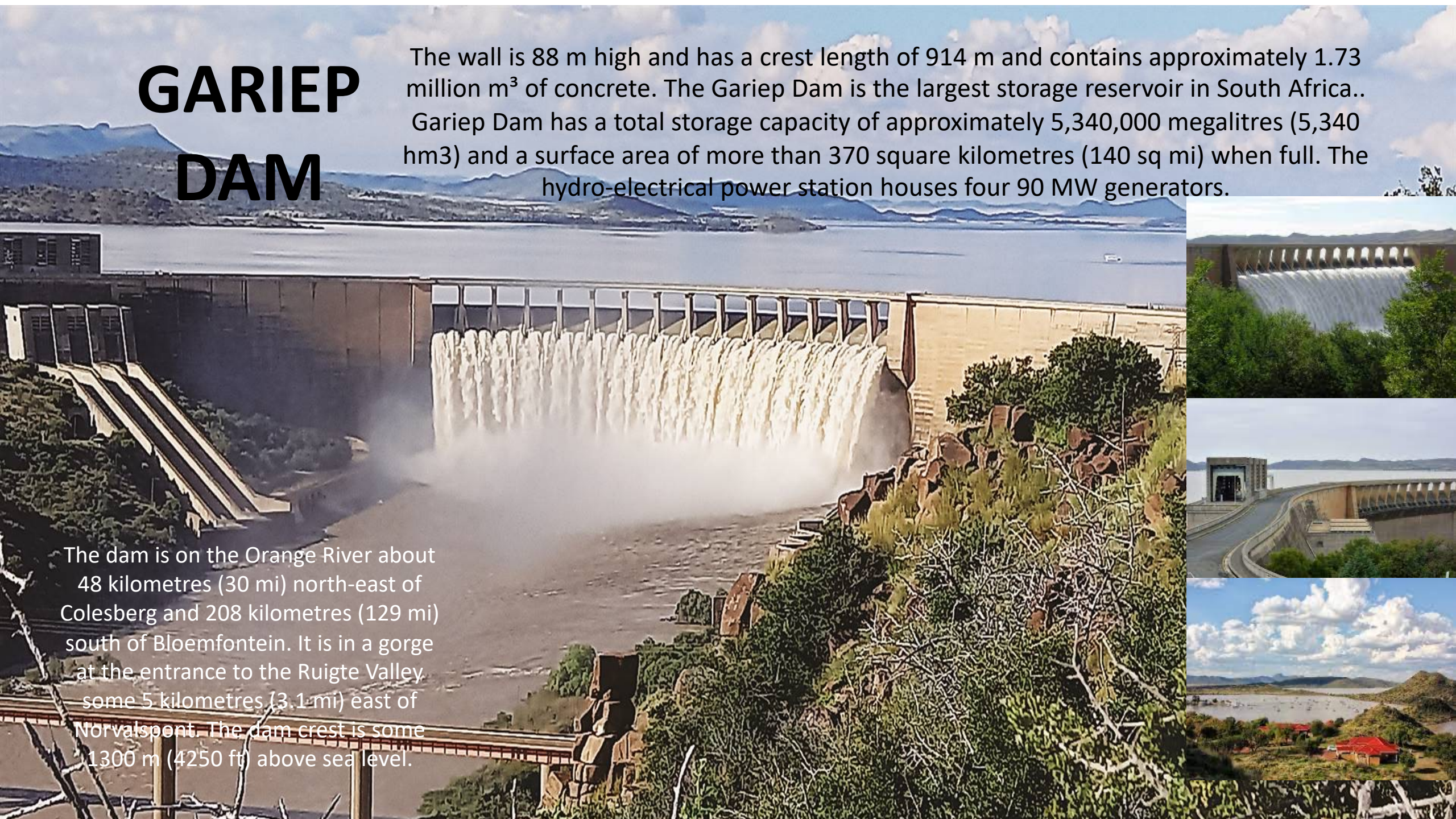
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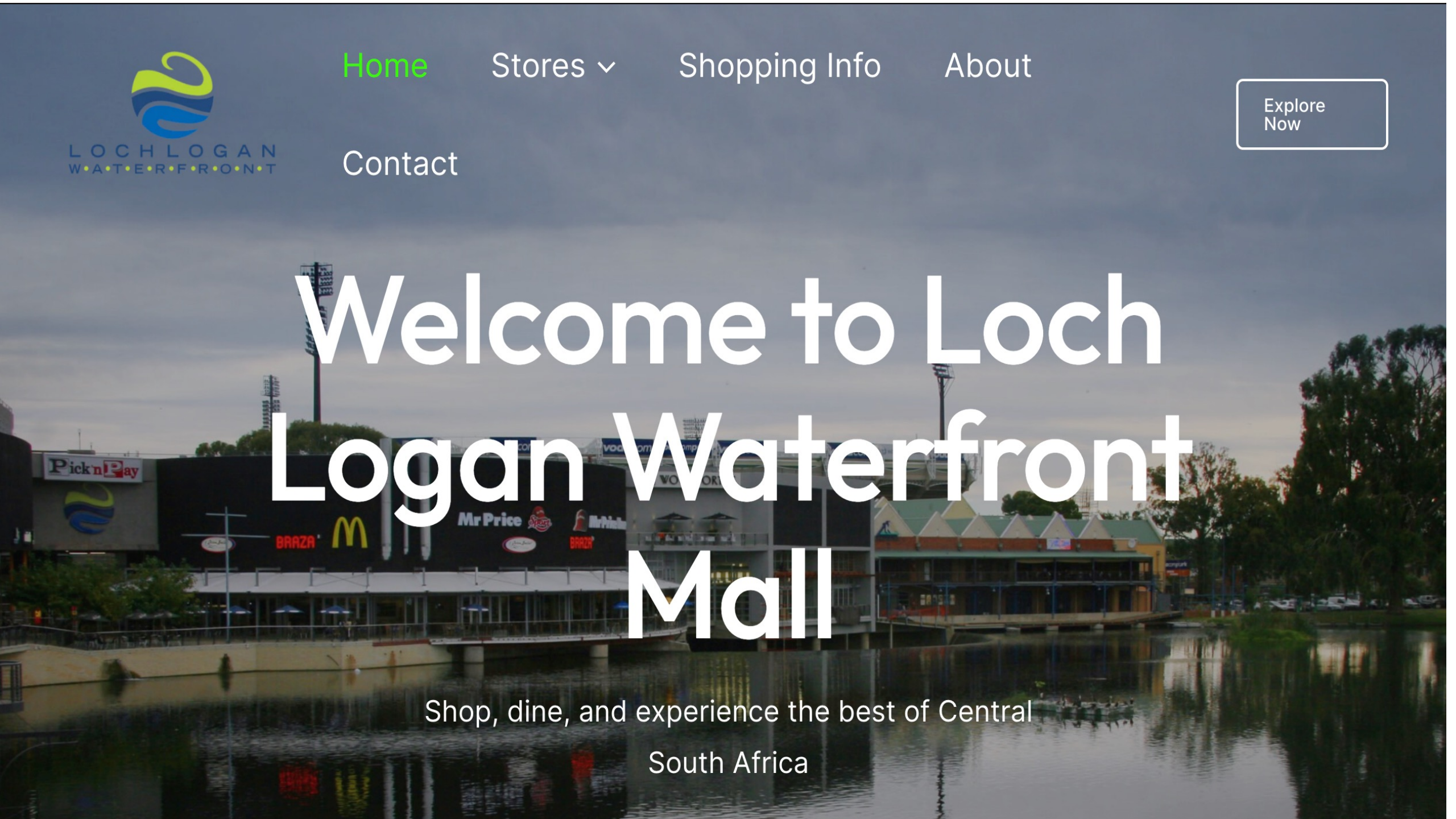


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The dam is on the Orange River about 48 kilometres (30 mi) north-east of Colesberg and 208 kilometres (129 mi) south of Bloemfontein. It is in a gorge at the entrance to the Ruigte Valley some 5 kilometres (3.1 mi) east of Norvalspont. The dam crest is some 1300 m (4250 ft) above sea level.


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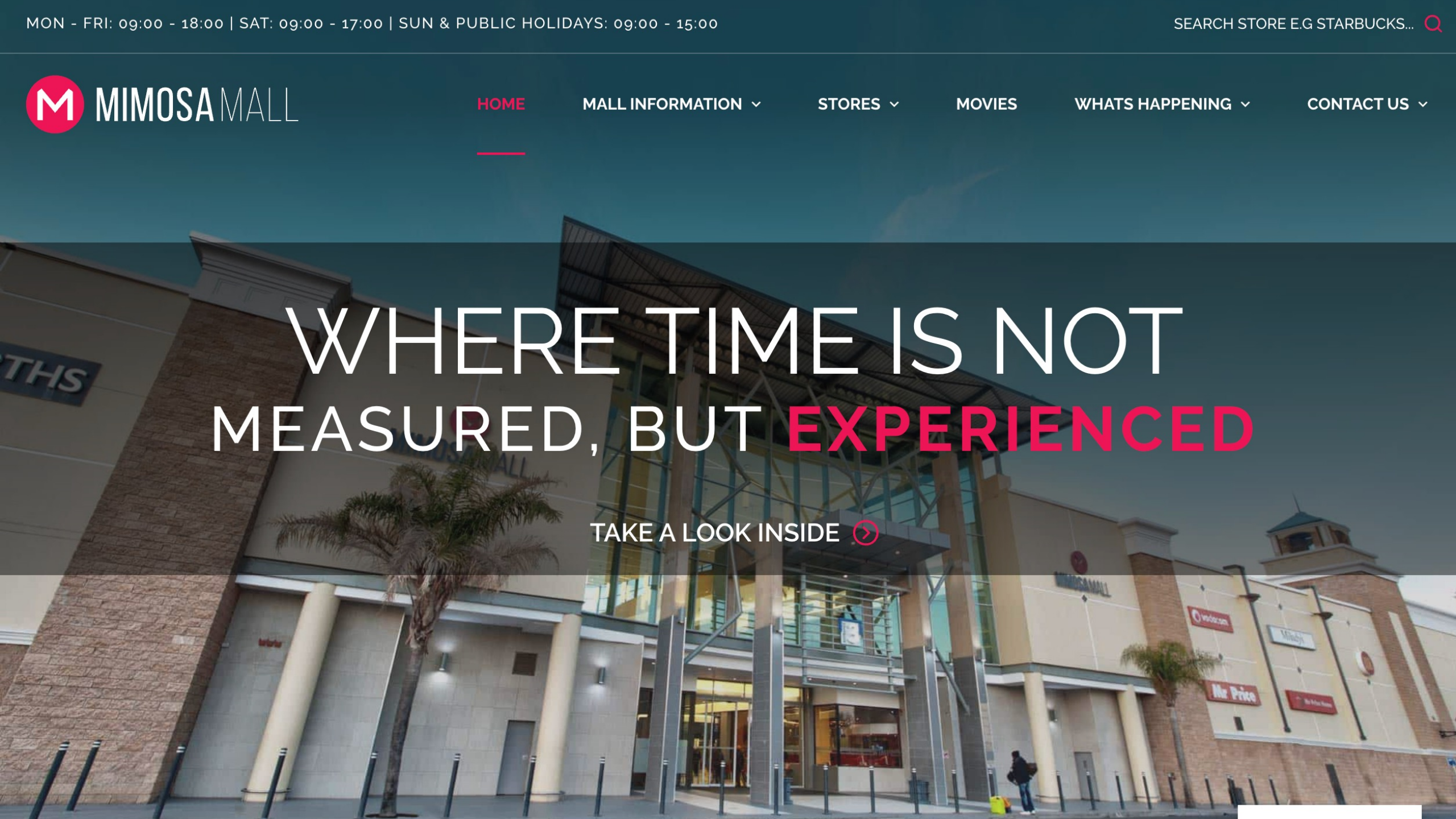
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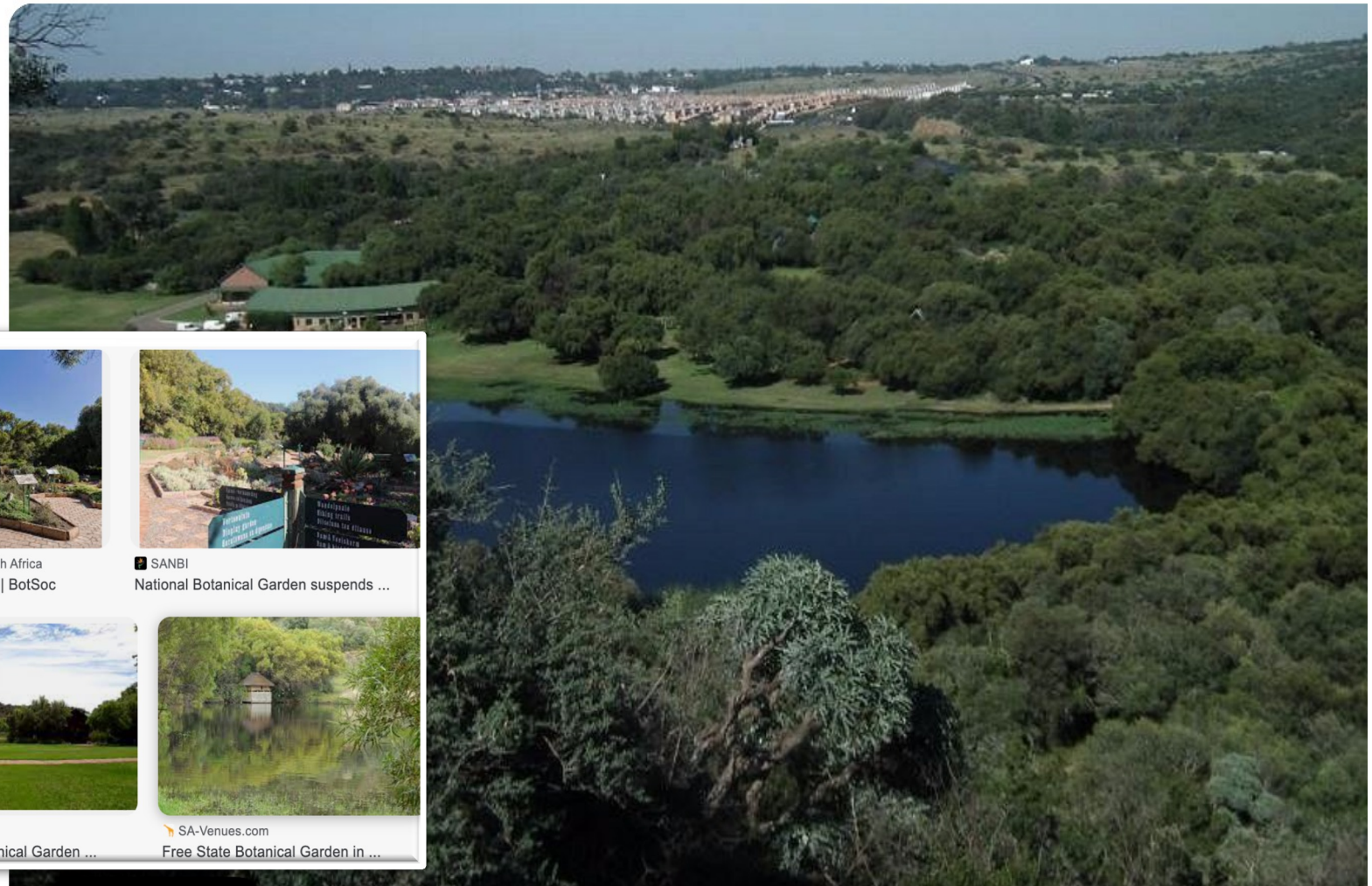
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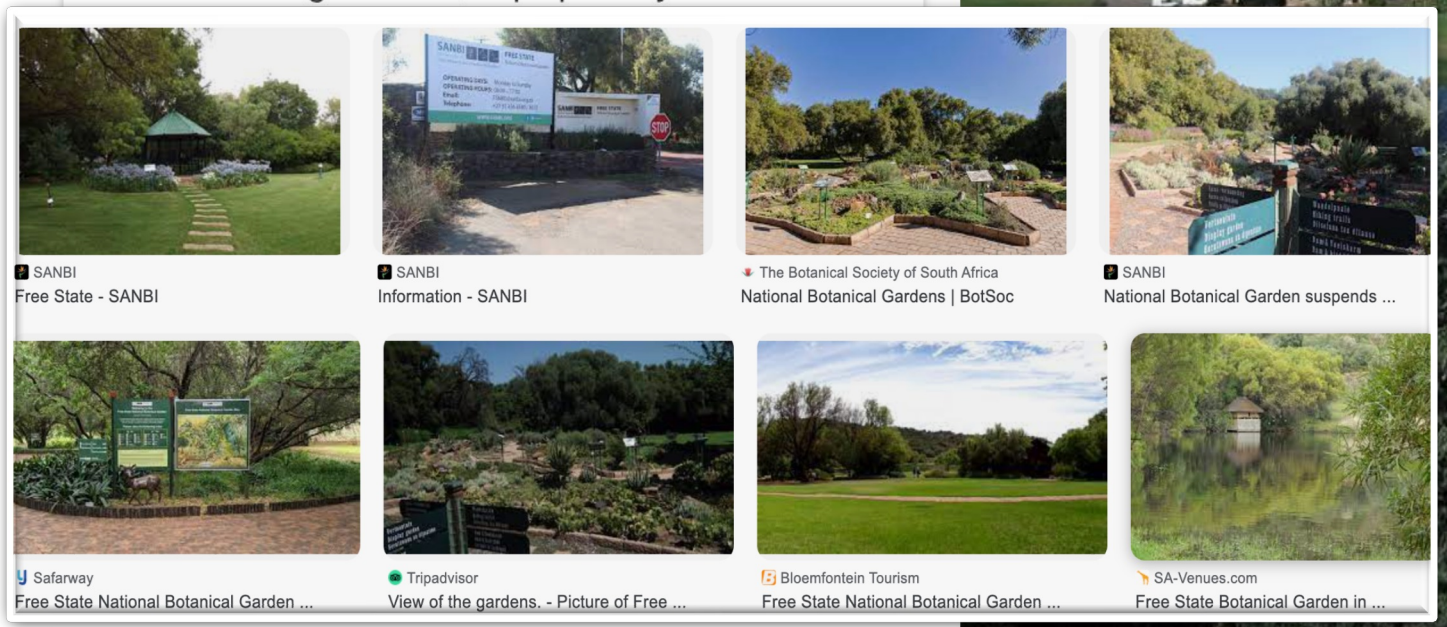
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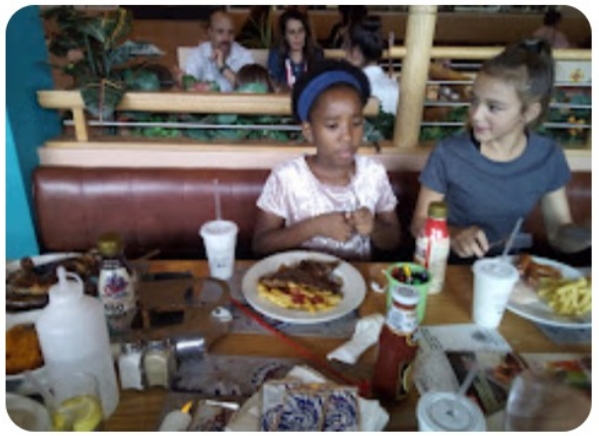


























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